

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, before line 1, delete the heading

~~D E S C R I P T I O N .~~

On page 1, before line 1, insert the following heading:

--FIELD OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 1, before line 4, insert the following heading:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 1, before line 1, insert the following heading:

--SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--.

On page 4, between lines 6 and 7, insert the following heading:

--BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS--.

On page 4, between lines 20 and 21, insert the following heading:

--DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS.--